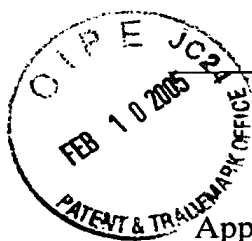


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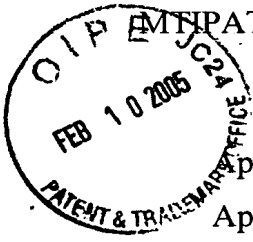
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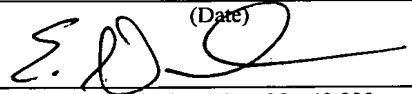
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Applicant has the following amendments and remarks in response to the Office Action mailed December 2, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.